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SUBJECT: Nicolae MALAXA

1. On 31 October, Mr. Herbert Nice, Acting Chief Intelligence Officer, INS, phoned to say that some Immigration officials wished to discuss subject's case directly with Mr. Wisner as they understood that he had some sources who could furnish additional information or leads on subject. I believe I convinced Mr. Nice that such an interview would not be profitable since we had done extensive research on subject's case a few years back and had furnished INS with all information available from this office and Mr. Wisner. I thought you should know of this, however, and perhaps Mr. Wisner in case another approach is made on a higher level.

- 2. I have completed my survey of the MALAXA file (hundreds of references) and feel certain that my original worry is unjustified. FHI reports contain most of the allegations existing in our files as well as some more juicy ones and all the emigre gossip. Other government agencies have also contributed to the general picture.
- In going over the files I did come across one extremely damaging report which I can't find was ever disseminated by us perhaps because it appears to be an MIS report from the ACC Rumania although compiled by Charlie Hostler of X-2. The source is described as strategically placed and fairly reliable. It is a fairly factual sounding study of the activities of the NKGB in Rumania after the war. In a paragraph describing the Industrial sub-section of the EKO, the following statement is made: "The big industrial enterprises are closely supervised by Colonel KADISEV who has connections with N. MALAXA and Radu XENOPOL, who are giving him information regarding the situation of the big companies". This is the only indication I have come across anyplace of a connection of subject with the RIS. I am sure INS would love to have it called to their attention, but do not know if it is advisable to stir up a hornet's nest at this point.
- h. Please let me know what you think.

Mr. Nice - Acting Chief Intelligence Officer to CI Staff Mr. Mario Noto - Deputy Assistant Commissioner, Investigations Div. to General Counsel John Warner

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